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## News Capsules

• Robert W. Hinney has resigned as a member of the Industrial Development Commission. His resignation was accepted with regrets by the Board of Selectmen on Tuesday.

• The Board of Selectmen will meet Feb. 17 instead of on Feb. 22 according to the regular schedule. The conflict? Washington's birthday.

• Dorothy Pendleton, 12 Henderson Ave., has been granted a common victualer's license for the Colonial Lunchroom, 166 N. Main St.

• A group of officials from Andover, including members of the Board of Selectmen, will attend Gov. Volpe's Washington's Birthday reception at the State House.

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## Admiral Is Undecided

Robert Goldman, treasurer for Admiral Folding Box Inc. this week denied a report that the Andover company had definitely decided to locate a new manufacturing facility in Methuen.

"We have not definitely decided to go to Methuen... we are still looking," he said.

Asked why the company did not choose to build its new plant, which will combine Medford and Andover operations, in Andover, Mr. Goldman said, "We weren't bothered too much by the town... Others (communities) were more aggressive in helping us locate sites."

Goldman said the company is interested in a location with access to Route 93 that has town water and sewage. It could cost the firm as much as \$50,000 more to build where these services are not available, he said.

He said the Andover Industrial Development Commission did show them areas zoned for industry where water and sewage have not yet been provided.

The company executive added that they had looked in areas where the tax rate was slightly more favorable, but that this was a major factor in the decision to locate other than in Andover.

He said a decision on the building site has to be made soon because the box company must vacate its present quarters on Railroad St. by December of this year.

Admiral currently employs about 100 workers in Andover and another 50 in Medford.

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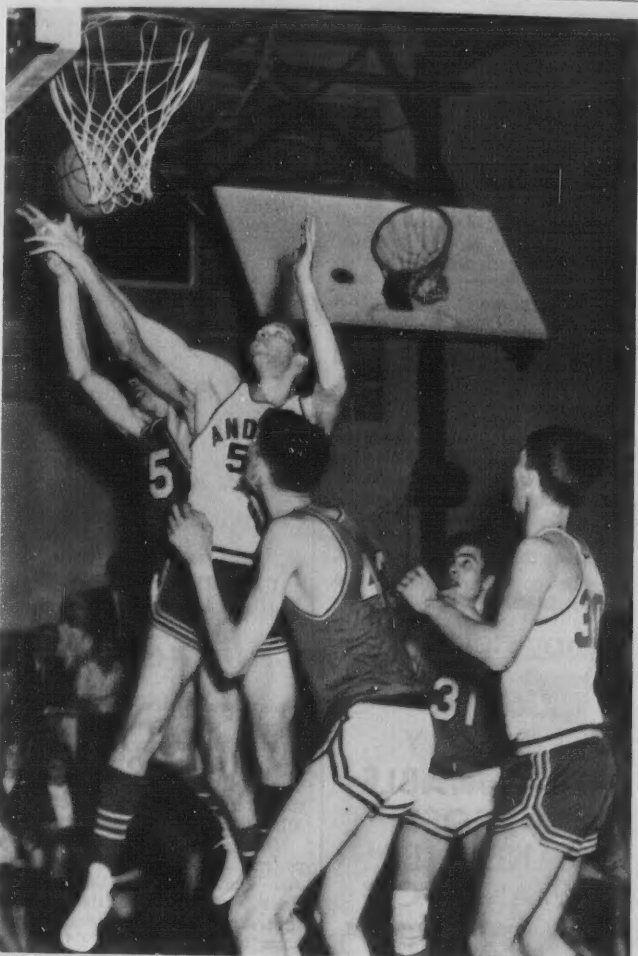


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TUESDAY'S 67-46 win over Burlington qualified Andover's Golden Warriors for competition in the Eastern Mass (Tech) Basketball Tournament. The team now holds second place in the Merrimack Valley Conference. Here Marshall Petrie (50) jumps for a basket.

(Caffrey)

## Library Receives Book Funds

Memorial Hall Library was allocated the sum of \$12,000 at a recent meeting at the division of library extension, State Department of Education, Boston, where federal grants for book collection improvement were made in anticipation of establishment of the Eastern Regional Library Service. Funds go to libraries designated in the plan of service (March, 1964) to serve as sub-regional libraries.

Enabling legislation passed by the state in 1960 permitted the establishment of regional library systems. The Western and Central systems are already in operation. Although the Eastern region is not yet operating, the grant which is available for spending on the book collection now, will be used to strengthen the reference collection and the subject collections.

Federal fund book collection improvement grants supplement local book budgets and in no way replace any part of them. Plans are being made to increase the reference collection by one-third and to give greater depth to the collections of American history, advanced science, and non-Western cultures, among others.

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## Third Site Added To Town Hall List

### Candidates Take Note

The TOWNSMAN will not accept for its news columns any official announcements of candidacy for municipal office beyond the publication date of our next issue, Feb. 17.

Since it will by then be more than three weeks since the filing date, we cannot consider announcements of candidacy timely for later issues of the paper.

Each candidate is allowed one such formal announcement which should include information on his educational and professional background, civic affiliations and government or other experience which could be considered qualifications for the office he seeks.

The TOWNSMAN will, of course, cover League of Women Voters Candidate Night programs and report on programs proposed by candidates participating.

Though under discussion for some months, the Board of Selectmen made the first public mention Tuesday of its consideration of a portion of the Shawsheen Road high school site as a possible location for the new town hall.

The board approved Manager Richard Bowen's report that he would hire Andover Architect Archibald Maclaren to design the municipal office building.

And they directed Maclaren to include a street-site section of the town owned property when he evaluates the two locations previously considered - the Shorten garage location on Park Street and the municipal parking lot adjacent to the Olde Andover Village shopping center on Main Street.

The board indicated it will base its final decision on Maclaren's recommendation as to which of the three spots will best lend itself architecturally to the project.

Despite the fact that the selectmen said some months ago that they had narrowed consideration to the two downtown locations and would consult the architect hired before making a final decision, it had been rumored for some weeks that the board was ready to make a

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## President, Associates Now Control DASA Corp.

Within hours of the time the TOWNSMAN went to press last week with a story reporting DASA Corp's first profitable year, the Andover company announced that Richard S. Leghorn, president, and a group of associates had purchased controlling interest from Perini Corp.

The announcement came from Leghorn and Louis R. Perini, president of Perini Corp.

Transferred was 290,000 shares of common stock. Also, Leghorn reported that he had exercised his option to purchase 479,642 shares from Perini under the terms of a 1963 agreement.

The total price of all shares purchased was approximately \$5,300,000.

Perini stated that Perini Corp. will retain 20% of DASA common stock and that the net profit on the stock sold by Perini will be approximately \$2,893,000. Perini Corp. continues to hold a \$1,895,000 DASA note. Mr. Perini will continue to serve in the capacity of



RICHARD S. LEGHORN

chairman of the DASA board.

The transaction was arranged for Leghorn and his associates by the New York investment banking

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## MBTA Contract Now On Meeting Agenda

A brief supplemental warrant is being drawn so that Town Meeting will have an opportunity to consider an article which would authorize the selectmen to negotiate with the MBTA for continued train service to Andover.

Manager Richard Bowen said early Wednesday that the article will probably stipulate the figure of \$3,000 as a maximum authorization. This is what the MBTA

has estimated it will cost the town to make up the difference between local passenger revenues and the cost of the run, if traffic is at the present rate. Use of the train has dwindled since service was cut a year ago to one train daily.

This limited service will continue another four months as a result of an ICC extension. The B&M was originally given clearance to discontinue service Feb. 7.

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## New School Zone Device Suggested By State DPW

If you can save the life of a child, save the motorist from fines and frustrations, and make things easier for the police, you should have a sure-fire success.

And that's exactly what the State Department of Public Works believes it has with a new device and new system of marking school zones adjacent to highways, according to DPW Commissioner Francis W. Sargent.

Just now being shown to city and town officials is a uniform "set" of signs and markings to be installed at designated school zones that would control traffic

speeds at 20 miles per hour within the zones.

A "set" includes the word SCHOOL painted in outside letters at approaches to the school area, and a safety pedestrian zone marked across the highway diamond warning signs set at the approaches to the zone, rectangular "Resume Speed" signs marking the end of the zones, and finally signs with flashing amber lights and an illuminated red "20" to establish the speed limit within the zone.

The big feature of the new system is the flashing speed indicator operated by a timing device that turns the flashers on at times when children would normally be using the streets to enter or leave the school, and automatically turns it off when the period of school need has ended. Since the flashing signs with the red "20" bear the legend: "School. . . Speed limit. . . 20. When Flashing", the 20-mile speed limit is not in effect when the devices shut themselves off and are no longer flashing.

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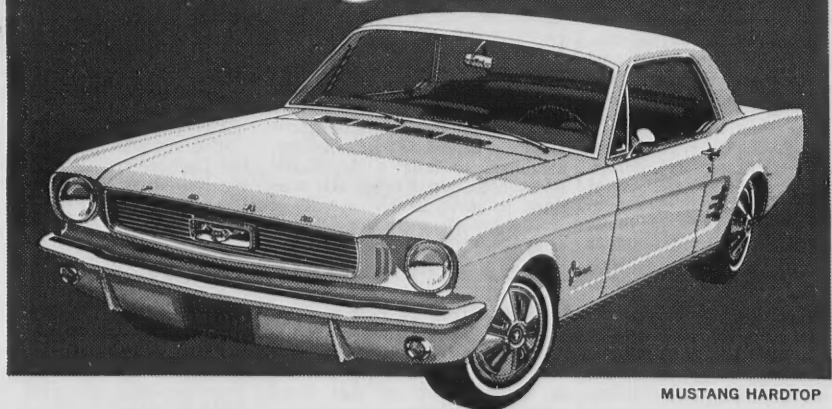
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CABARET SINGERS Marc and Andre who will appear at Phillips Academy this month.

## Cabaret Singers To Appear

Marc and Andre, French cabaret singers, will appear at Phillips Academy Saturday, Feb. 19 at 8:30 p.m. in George Washington Hall. They will present a program of the French chanson - vignettes on all aspects of life, set to music.

The French folksingers appeared in Paris in various cabarets and "caves" until they opened their own in 1950, the cabaret litteraire L'Ecluse where they have introduced such artists as Marcel Marceau and Barbara and Juliette Greco to the public.

They are winners of the Grand Prix Du Disque (the Oscar of

French song) and the Grand Prix de la Chanson Française.

On their third American tour, Marc and Andre have appeared at many schools and colleges across the country. At Florida State University, The Florida Flambeau commented, "They were able by sheer European charm to convey the ancient art of the French chanson. If one could not understand French, they were entertained by the joy of watching them perform."

Tickets may be reserved by calling the academy. An admission fee will be charged.

## Abbot Readies Comic Opera

The Abbot Academy choir and a few selected Phillips Academy students will present Gilbert and Sullivan's THE GONDOLIERS, a comic opera, on Feb. 18 and 19 at Abbot.

Principals in the cast are Nancy Valentine, Judy Mustille, Dave Anderson, Greg Tellis, John Tucker, Dave Tresemer, Sean Konecky, and day students Nancy Warlick of Andover, and Candy Eldam of Lawrence.

The cast also includes Diane DeNuccio, Dorothea Rees, and Sally Birdsall of Andover.

The operetta is directed by Miss Margot Warner, head of the music department of Abbot. It will be open to the public and reservations may be made by calling Abbot Academy.

## Blackmer In Capitol

Alan R. Blackmer Sr., dean of the faculty at Phillips Academy, is on a three month leave and a temporary assignment in Washington, D. C., with Upward Bound.

This educational program is a project of the Office of Economic Opportunity, begun last summer to organize summer schools for culturally deprived students from low income families.

Blackmer brings to his post the experience of two summers of working for the Carnegie Corporation where he visited summer programs at various southern colleges and universities.

During his absence, several faculty members will assume many of his P. A. responsibilities.



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DAVE SIMMERS, a reserve wing for hockey team, has made a 6-2 record at the state level. The sophomore is the son of Mrs. E. V. M.

## Cubs Receive Awards At Sunday Breakfast

Twelve awards were presented Sunday to Cub Scouts of Pack 75, St. Augustine's Church, at their annual communion breakfast at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Committee Chairman Joseph F. Adams welcomed Cubs and their families and introduced as the speaker Rev. Kenneth J. Kennedy, O.S.A., pastor of St. Augustine's Church.

Head table guests included Rev. Kennedy; Mr. Adams; Robert Smith, executive director of North Essex Council, Boy Scouts; Robert Denison, neighborhood commissioner; Joseph McCarthy, founder of Scouting in St. Augustine's parish; and Stephen M. Korba, acting cubmaster.

Inducted as Bobcats were Wayne Larson, Thomas Luceri and David Reilly. Lion badges were presented to Robert Boner, Patrick Doyle, Peter Lucier and Jeffrey Mower. Also awarded were: bear badge and gold arrow, James Adams; wolf badge, Christopher Muller; gold arrow, Keith Verette; silver arrow, Steven Maquire; dinner badge, Alan Duke, Roger Ramsey, Greg Hanawalt, Edward Caselden and Neal Laureza; assistant dinner bars, John Lyons, Steven Paleatwich, Paul Connelly, Charles Galbiati and Richard McGovern.

An additional highlight of the event was the presentation of a Neighborhood Commissioner's badge to Mr. Korba by Robert Denison.

Chairman of the breakfast was Ernest Costello who was assisted by den mothers and committee members.

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Young and Daniel Mason from Den 7.

The next pack meeting will be held February 25 at the school hall at which time all dens will present a Hootenanny.

## Disaster Year Is Anticipated

With experts forecasting 1966 as a year of mounting famine and other forms of social disaster, U. S. Protestant churches are preparing to meet heavy commitments in the field of overseas assistance.

A total of \$17,921,000 will be sought by participating denominations through the annual "One Great Hour of Sharing" appeal, it was announced. Observed each year the week following the fourth Sunday in Lent (March 20 this year), funds raised by the congregations through the appeal are used for relief and rehabilitation purposes in Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Middle East and limited areas of Europe.

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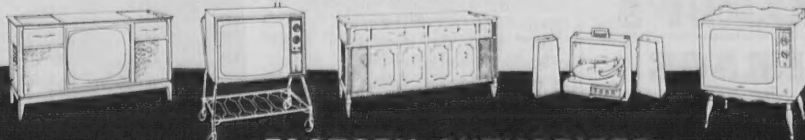
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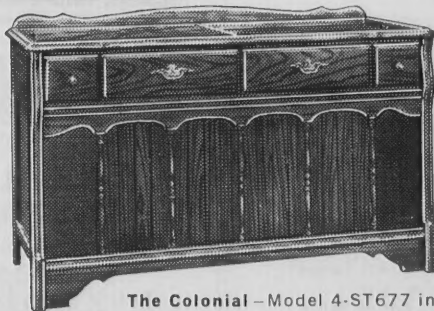
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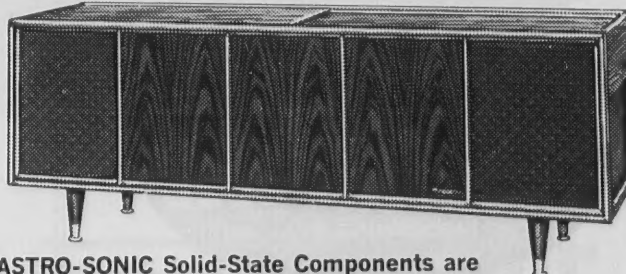
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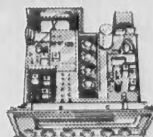
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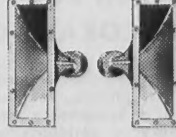
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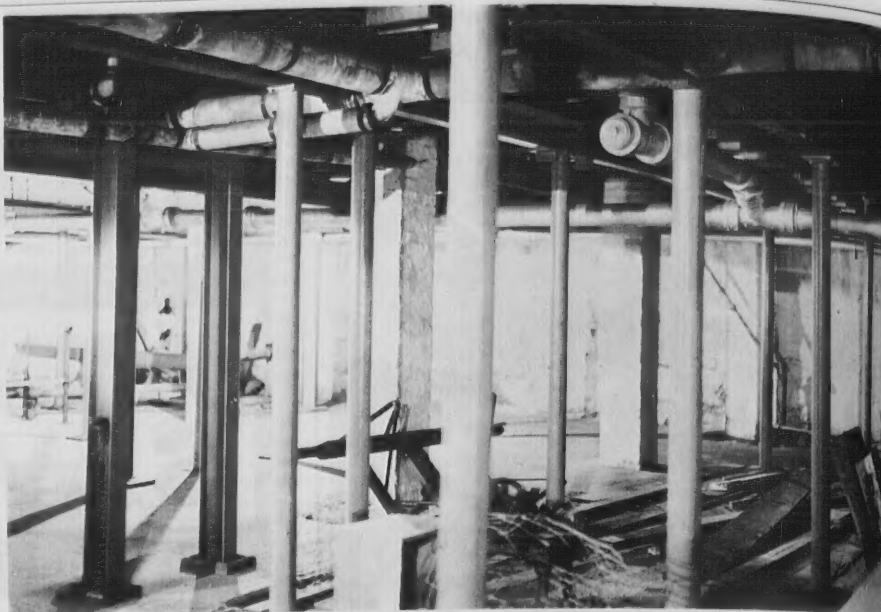
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## Church Racial Inaction Discussed By Clergymen

A panel of clergymen told an integrated audience at Kemper Auditorium Thursday that the denominations they represent have taken a stronger theoretical position on Civil Rights than they have supported in practice.

Appearing with Rev. Vernon Carter, pastor of All Saints Lutheran Church, Boston, were members of the Andover clergy including Rev. Bruce VanBlair of West Parish Church, Rev. J. Edison Pike of Christ Episcopal Church, Rev. Paul Keyes, O.S.A.,

of St. Robert Bellarmine Church and Rev. Hartland Gifford, Faith Lutheran Church. The program was sponsored by Andover Citizens for Equal Opportunities.

Rev. Carter described his experiences as a participant in the Freedom Vigil at offices of the Boston School Committee last year. He told the Andover audience that he felt this demonstration brought the church into what was previously a purely political situation. "Education in Boston is a moral issue, an issue of conscience," Carter said. Rev. Carter reported how he held out in spite of threats, abuse and attempted violence.

Agreeing with Rev. Carter's basic assertion that churches have given little more than lip service to the Negro cause, the Andover

ministers outlined the stated positions of their various denominations.

Rev. Van Blair reported that when he speaks to people in his congregation on the issue they reply, "Don't pick on us... we're hopeless, work on our kids." And added that when he tries this approach, he is told the children are too young. He said he feels suburbanites offer excuses on racial involvement because they are too busy, afraid, apathetic or because they misunderstand the issues as they apply to Suburbia.

Taking a position in favor of church action, Rev. Pike said he believes the race problem must be attacked as a Christian problem by Christians and not as a problem of law and order by politicians and social workers.

Father Keyes read from a statement by Richard Cardinal Cushing to make the point that prejudice is in all of us and that each conscience must face up to the problem. "Not involving oneself in one of the biggest problems in our country today is a sin of omission," he said.

Emphasizing still another point, Rev. Gifford spoke of his hope that churches would discontinue the practice of dividing life into secular and sacred parts. He offered as his opinion the belief that all of life is sacred. If we lived this belief, he said, there would be no race problem.

During the program Rev. Carter spoke of his newly founded human relations center. The center is to have an inter-cultural library and inter-cultural programs, providing an opportunity for whites and Negroes to get acquainted in the Negro world.

He said the center would provide people of all faiths with the chance to both help and learn.

## Team Teaching To Be Studied

A committee of school teachers, administrators and parents will be appointed by the superintendent to study the feasibility of team teaching for Andover's elementary schools.

The study was proposed by Mrs. Virginia H. Cole and approved by the School Committee last week. Recommendations are to be reported to the committee by May 1.

Supt. Erickson has asked school committeemen to suggest names of pupils' parents for appointments.

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## Club Clinic Is Postponed

The six-week "Club Clinic" course, jointly sponsored by the Andover Recreation Dept. and the YWCA of Greater Lawrence, scheduled to begin Feb. 3 has been postponed until March 24.

Mrs. Walter Caswell, chairman of YWCA activities in Andover, announced that unforeseen difficulties forced the date change for the clinic which will be held Thursday mornings at the Andover Recreation Lodge.

Club organization, parliamentary procedure and effective pre-

sentation of ideas will be taught interested women by Miss Marjorie Roulston, director of education at the YWCA, Lawrence.

This morning the first of six lessons for beginning skiers was given by Mrs. Richard Marciano at the lodge. Additional registrations can be made for the remaining five lessons by contacting the YWCA.

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## Cardinal, Titmouse Census Scheduled For Feb. 12 & 13

The recent harsh winter storms should test the ability of tufted titmice and cardinals in making a living in Massachusetts.

Thus, there should be an extra flavor of speculation in the fourth annual Cardinal and Tufted Titmouse Census, due to be held over the Lincoln Birthday weekend, Feb. 12 and 13.

Last year's reports, largely from persons with bird feeders, disclosed that there were 1,168 cardinals and 741 titmice in the state. The odd thing about so many of these birds appearing in the

Commonwealth is the fact that before 1957 there were no titmice, and the one cardinal that sometimes arrived in Massachusetts during a year was a rarity that attracted hundreds of birders to the vicinity.

Anyone can join in the fourth annual survey. If you have either cardinals or titmice calling at your window feeder, address a request for a census card to Mrs. Deborah V. Howard, Massachusetts Audubon Society, Lincoln, Mass. 01773. Enter on the census card the largest number of titmice and/or cardinals that you see at your feeder either of those days.

Both the cardinal and titmouse normally live well south of New England. In 1957, titmice invaded Massachusetts and during the first few years their numbers fluctuated rather widely. In more recent years, the population seems to be increasing steadily.

There even have been a few reports of titmice straggling into southern New Hampshire and southwestern Maine. Birders in those areas should watch for this small gray bird, about the size of a chickadee but darker and wearing a crest.

The cardinal is the well-known redbird that once was a cagebird favorite before the federal government halted the taking of native birds for cage use.

Speaking of names, it required considerable imagination and a severe stretch of the language to apply a name such as "titmouse" to a bird.

Miss Dorothy E. Snyder and the late Ludlow Grisoom in their annotated checklist, "Birds of Massachusetts," considered the titmouse a hypothetical visitor to Massachusetts in their 1955 volume.

The cardinal was present in small numbers in 1955. Snyder and Grisoom noted that seventeen birds were reported in 1954 from a total of ten areas.

In the current invasion, both cardinals and titmice - but especially the titmice - have been seen largely either in the suburbs west of Boston or in the Springfield region of the Connecticut Valley.

A snowstorm such as the recent one, which was interrupted by rain and followed by a 12-degree temperature drop, becomes a severe stress upon birds not ideally adapted to New England weather. A wet bird suffers a terrific heat loss and those not adapted to such stress usually die.

Cardinals and titmice probably weathered all the storms. Cold winter rains are common within their natural range south of New England.

James Baird of the Massachusetts Audubon Society suspects that the extreme cold experienced in a few New England winters may be more of a limiting factor on cardinals and titmice than long-lasting snow blankets.

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### NEWS CAPSULES

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• John H. Leacock, 87 Bartlet St., is to serve as a juror at Lawrence district court on Mar. 7. On the same date Anna P. O'Connor, 51 Magnolia Ave., is to sit with a Salem jury.

• The selectmen have accepted a bid of \$9,100 from AT&T for Wood Hill land where the company plans construction of a micro-wave tower. The total project cost: \$300,000.

• Approval of the transfer of Driscoll's Package Store location from Park Street to 5 Bartlet St. was given by the selectmen Tuesday. The store will be located in the new Lally building.

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• John S. Auchterlonie, 45, 119 Main St., was fined \$45 Monday for operating his automobile while under the influence of alcohol. Auchterlonie overturned his auto on the exit ramp from South Union St. to South Broadway Sunday. He entered a plea of not guilty.

• Officer John Murray investigated a Sunday call from Frank Damrell, 14 Oriole Dr., who reported his home was burglarized while he and his family were away for the weekend. The thief smashed a door window and loaded a pillow case with silver and jewelry. An inventory is still being compiled.

• The guidance department of Andover High School recently presented a career program in the field of medical technology. Two films relating to this field were furnished by the American Cancer Society, Massachusetts division.

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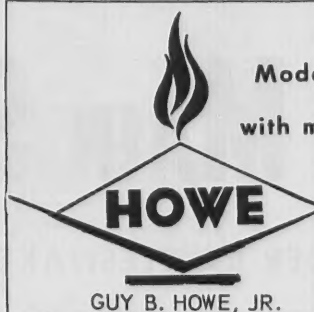
Wayne Long, co-chairman of the local chapter addressed the students and Dr. Richard Secord conducted a question and answer period following the showing of the films.

• Proposed by Manager Bowen and approved by the selectmen, the names of seven persons to serve on a Greater Lawrence Community Action Council for co-operation on federal government poverty programs: Mrs. Thayer Warshaw, Junior High Principal; William E. Hart, Stafford Lindsay; Roger Lewis, Charles Bentley; Joseph Clementi and Mrs. Mary Horan.

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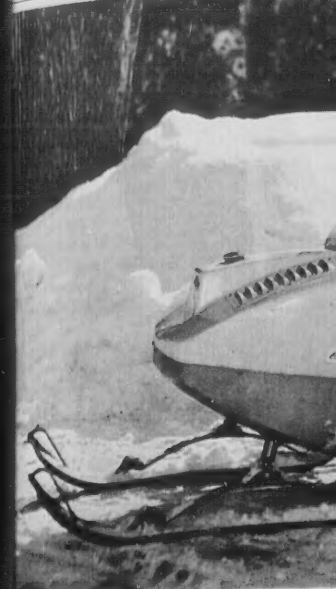
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### THREE RECEIVE CERTIFICATES

Three municipal employees have won certificates from the Massachusetts Municipal Training Institute held at Boston College. They are Anna M. Greeley, treasurer, Donald C. Bassett, superintendent of water and sewers and Helen Richards, secretary to the planning board.

Courses were given in municipal administration, municipal finance and waterworks systems.

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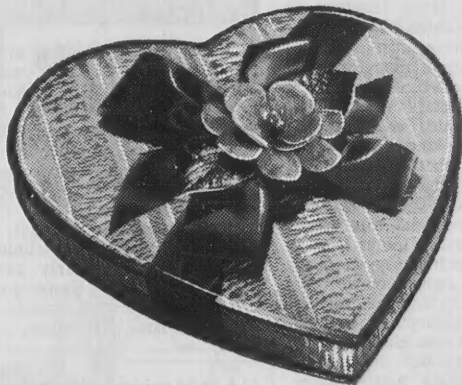
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## Rainbow Girls Are Organizing

Mrs. Leo Waldron, 28 Canterbury St., was elected chairman of the advisory board of the Andover

Rainbow Order for Girls at its first meeting held recently. The new order is being formed under the sponsorship of the local chapter of Eastern Star.

Also elected at the organizational meeting was Mrs. Harrison Brown, 3 Holly Ter., who will be the mother advisor. Miss Blanche Robinson, Massachusetts supreme deputy in the international Rainbow order, assisted in the formation of the local group.

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HAVING FUN ON THE SLIDE at Andover Recreation Park are Mrs. Philip DeRienzo, Osgood St., David Vivian and the DeRienzo children, Jon and Lori (center and right).

## Team Teaching Topic For Education Group

Dr. Robert Hayes, professor of psychology at Boston University's College of Basic Studies, said here last week that a school building is the least important ingredient in a superior education.

The professor was in Andover for a meeting of the Andover Education Council at which he discussed the possibilities embodied in the term "team teaching." He told the citizens' group that the community must be able to provide flexible space for team teaching, whether in new or remodeled buildings, but more vital is joint teacher-student involvement in the learning process.

He defined team teaching as technique for which a high degree of communication must exist between students of many abilities as well as between teachers of different subjects. Under such a system, he said, each teacher handles the kind of teaching he knows best, whether as lecturer, discussion leader or tutor.

To illustrate, Dr. Hayes said children studying the role of revolution in history might hear an expert on French history compare the American revolution with that of France, a science teacher describe technological changes that contribute to social unrest and an English teacher discuss the writings of Lock and Voltaire.

The professor maintained that children naturally want to learn and will respond to a realistic, interesting presentation of material. Ideally, said the professor, co-operation replaces competition among both students and faculty in a team teaching situation. Pointing out that team teaching can be used with either homogenous and heterogenous groupings of students, Dr. Hayes said he feels mixed groups including students of widely varying abilities benefit most from the team concept.

The BU educator told the Council that a school system must be prepared to buy the equipment necessary to support educational innovations. Funds should be made available for experiment and evaluation with the understanding that experiments sometimes fail, he said. Furthermore, he added, a teacher must carry a student load consistent with good education. "If you ask him to teach six different classes with 30 kids apiece, you can't get your money's worth, even if you pay him \$10,000 a year," Dr. Hayes explained.

In further discussion he said, "Team teaching isn't all new." The concept embodies educational ideas that superior teachers have

put into practice for years. "Still," he remarked, "some teachers don't like it. It's just too darn much work." A teacher involved in a broadly conceived team teaching program must be constantly learning from his colleagues, and taking time to concern himself with individual students. It is a lot of work, he said, but such a program can contribute greatly to a teacher's professional value, and ultimately attract more and more able people to teaching careers in Dr. Hayes opinion.

## Guild Meets February 14

The Merrimack Valley chapter of the American Guild of Organists will meet at 8 p.m. Monday at Christ Episcopal Church for a choral clinic.

A demonstration will be presented by Thomas Foster and the Christ Church Choir, Mary Louise Graves, soprano, and Carol Foster, organist, will assist.

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## Merger Meeting On February 17

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On the committee which has drawn plans for the proposed merger are D. William Grand and Vahey Gulezian, co-chairmen; Eleanor Hall, James H. Eaton III, Russell Doyle, William Dubois, Barbara Johnson, William Stewart, Norman Viehmann and Earl Young.

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No specific mention was made Tuesday of the exact portion of the school area to be considered. At previous discussions have centered on spots on either side of the access road which will be run into the new high school.

If either of these locations is chosen, it will mean blueprint relocation of playground or a parking lot, planned as segments of the school site development.

The playground is to go near Shawheen Road near to the present school parking lot. The new parking lot would lay just beyond this location, fronting on both Shawheen Road and the new high school access.

Reaction  
News of the school site as an addition to the town hall list came as no surprise to the School Committee. At the request of Board Chairman Allen, School Chairman Robert Sherman polled his committee for reaction.

Sherman said Wednesday that with the exception of one member, the committee "in general" was agreeable to the use of the site. Use of a portion of the Shawheen Road land is sure to revive the question of whether or not new school administration offices could be incorporated in the town hall construction project.

In previous discussion of this possibility, William A. Doherty and Dr. Louis Galbiati expressed strong opposition to mutual quarters. They said they had been advised by superintendents queried at a state meeting to keep the school operation and town administrative offices separated to avoid involvement in town politics.

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Committeewoman Barbara Moody, who has been an advocate of shared space, restated her position that she felt greater economy and efficiency in the business aspects of school department activities could be realized if the offices were jointly housed.

She added that she felt the town should consider adding to the property held in that area to compensate for any loss. (Town meeting voted last year to accept the offer of Peter C. Palcos to sell adjoining acreage. A sum of \$2,500 was voted for that purpose, but the town and Palcos have never come

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Committeewoman Barbara Moody, who has been an advocate of shared space, restated her position that she felt greater economy and efficiency in the business aspects of school department activities could be realized if the offices were jointly housed.

She added that she felt the town should consider adding to the property held in that area to compensate for any loss. (Town meeting voted last year to accept the offer of Peter C. Paicos to sell adjoining acreage. A sum of \$2,500 was voted for that purpose, but the town and Paicos have never come

to terms.)

Virginia H. Cole reports she would be pleased to have renewed discussion on a combined building which she said could enable closer cooperation between the town and the school department. The location would solve a number of problems for the town, she said. She mentioned parking as one such problem.

In his comments, Chairman Sherman said he felt the location, and possibility of a shared building, makes sense for a number of reasons.

He mentioned three. It would put the school administrators near to both the largest school population area and the central accounting equipment, now in operation at town hall.

Also possible, the construction of an auditorium that could serve as a civic and school center, he said. The building of an auditorium for the new high school was delayed by action of town meeting when the \$3.9 million high school was voted.

## Memorial Approved

At Town Manager Richard Bowen's suggestion, the Board of Selectmen approved this week a memorial to the late William H. Rhoads, the man who acted for the Chamber of Commerce in planning the 1965 Founders Day observance honoring town employees.

The retired railroad executive was credited with supplying the drive that made the May venture, the first of its kind, a success.

The memorial, possibly a Paul Revere Bowl, will be given as an award to the employee of the year.

Manager Bowen plans early appointment of a committee to make arrangements for the 1966 employee event, timed to coincide with Andover's birthday.

## School Menu

Monday - Spaghetti with tomato sauce, buttered wax beans, crusty Italian bread and butter, Valentine cake and milk.

Tuesday - Meat pie with mixed vegetables, flaky crust, mashed potatoes, bread and butter, applesauce and milk.

Wednesday - High & Jr. High: Fruit juice, pepper steak on buttered roll, buttered kernel corn, potato chips, cherry cake with topping, milk.

Thursday - Oven fried chicken, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered peas and carrots, cranberry sauce, dinner roll, ice cream and milk.

Friday - Fruit juice, pizza with tomato and cheese, pineapple cole slaw, potato chips, raisin peanut bar and milk.

Registration for an adult badminton program sponsored by the Andover recreation department hit 40 this week, Recreation Director Leslie Bartow reports.

Registration is still open, and others interested may sign for play at the junior high school on Feb. 15 at 7:30 p.m.

## Consult

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## What's Up?

What are they up to? What is the School Committee (majority) trying to maneuver?

These are questions asked of the TOWNSMAN more than once since the committee initially voted to cut \$2,500 from the teachers' salary budget and lop off as well what administrators should have netted in 1966 because their pays have previously been tied by an intricate ratio system to the bachelor's minimum.

They are questions asked again since the confrontation between the committee and the Andover Teachers Assn. at last week's meeting.

What confuses us is the confusion.

Both questions have been answered, in one way or another, by members of the committee majority (Sherman, Moody & Cole) on more than one occasion and in public meetings.

The idea is to force stricter attention to the evaluation of both tenure teachers AND their tenured bosses.

The school department's rules and regulations call for annual performance evaluations prior to spring election of teachers. It is pretty obvious that the committee majority has some doubts about how meaningful a procedure this has been, and well they might when, by his own admission, the superintendent cannot recall a single occasion when a tenure teacher has been denied a pay increase because of a failure to measure up professionally.

We are asked to believe, in other words, that our pre-tenure system of weeding out the chaff is so perfected that Andover's full complement of teachers and administrators are all equally able and equally diligent, year after year.

There are those who feel that to raise an eyebrow over such a utopian probability is to malign the whole of our

professional education staff. We cannot agree. It is entirely possible to recognize and appreciate the effectiveness of 99 and 44/100 percent of our teachers and administrators and at the same time question the performance of a handful. We must agree with the critics, however, that the committee's use of force to achieve a desirable end lacked finesse. It was almost certain to be misunderstood. How much better it would have been to press informally for tougher evaluation (which has been discussed more than once), issuing a policy directive to the superintendent as a last resort. We feel it could have been made perfectly clear that implementation of a no-nonsense evaluation procedure should be reflected in April salary recommendations.

But we are equally certain that this whole exercise could have been avoided if the school administration had...

1. Moved quickly to indicate to its staff and to the committee that it is evaluating for spring recommendations on the basis of a newly revamped and unified set of standards (on a form drafted by principals), and that this fact should be taken as an indication that the administration will be keeping the results in mind and when individual salaries are set.

2. Proposed, without prodding, a substitute for the ratio method of establishing administrator's salaries, a technique that the superintendent has indicated he considers "unprofessional." Such a system should take into account not only performance but the numbers and types of responsibilities assumed. It would be eminently fairer than the ratio rule-of-thumb.

This is pre-supposing, of course, that our teachers and administrators would rather stand on their individual records than be treated as one of a herd.

## Inappropriate

We will watch with interest the unfolding of events that bring a decision about who shall speak for Andover school administrators on questions relating to salaries and working conditions.

The new state law on collective bargaining for municipal employees, effective this month, has yet to be fully interpreted or tested. But the issue of legality may have already been settled by a previous court decision relating to the representation of supervisory nurses. It is, at least, cited by the Massachusetts Teachers Assn. as precedent.

But the legality of it hardly seems to be the point. The law may be written loosely enough to make it perfectly legal for teachers and their bosses to bargain as a unit, but that cannot make it appropriate.

Such oneness may have presented few problems when teachers associations met largely for the exchange of information and the camaraderie. But they have begun to function more militantly and to seek a wider role in the development of decisions that affect their careers.

This shift in emphasis, plus the strength that is certain to be gathered from the support of a state collective bargaining law, is what has focused attention on the membership of such organizations.

It is this developing situation that makes it inappropriate for full-time administrators to continue to allow the people they must supervise and evaluate to speak for them along with the rank and file.

## Our Readers Say—

To the Editor of the Townsman  
Some of your readers must have been surprised at the disclosure that school administrators may be members of the teachers' bargaining association. Others must have been shocked at the feeling of comradeship more suitable for a social fraternity than for a civic organization having a supposedly disciplined chain of command.

Such fraternizing is improper for the administrators, presumptuous for the teachers.

It is improper for the administrators because, when the inevitable clashes of interest occur, there shouldn't be the shadow of a doubt in our administrators' minds as to which side they are on. By the very nature of their jobs, they belong on the public's side and they must hold the public interest inviolate. Unless our administrators act accordingly, they are violating a fiduciary position and a public trust. Conflict of interest here is intolerable.

For members of the staff to act

as special pleaders for their superiors is not only presumptuous but shows either how naive they can be about the economic facts of life or shows how they can manipulate the naivete of others to their own advantage. By making their superiors beholden to them through bonds of fraternal brotherhood, the teachers are, in effect, compromising their superiors' integrity as managers for their personal gain when administrators play footsie with the teachers in a common conspiracy against the town, their objectivity in evaluating teacher performance is endangered and their value to the town dwindles. Such opportunities for mutual back scratching must not be permitted.

It is amazing to learn that divided loyalty should have been tolerated to this day by the public and its official representatives. This places tenderhearted humanitarians in a unequal eyeball-to-eyeball confrontation with hard-headed realists.

What is in store for a town gullible enough to put up doves to deal with hawks?

Dino G. Valtz  
17 Stratford Rd.



## Internal Revenue Service

## INFORMS YOU!

This column is edited by F. J. O'Connor, Chief of Audit of the Boston District, Internal Revenue Service. Questions of general interest mailed to Mr. F. J. O'Connor, Internal Revenue Service, P. O. Box 323, Boston, Mass., 02117, will be answered through this column.

Q. I received \$8,000.00 Life Insurance proceeds upon the death of my husband. Is this \$8,000.00 taxable income to me?

A. No. Life Insurance proceeds paid by reason of death are not taxable.

Q. A friend told me that you don't have to provide half a person's support to be able to claim him as a dependent. They said if several people chipped into support someone then it was up to the group doing the supporting to decide who should claim the dependency exemption. Is that right?

A. Under some circumstances that is correct. Cases like this usually arise when several members of a family contribute jointly to the support of another member. When the other tests for claiming a dependent are met, and when several people together have provided more than half the support of a person but no one person has contributed more than half, they may agree to permit one of them to claim the exemption. To do this, the person who takes the exemption must have contributed over 10 percent of the support and the others who contributed over 10 percent must sign a declaration (form 2120) that they will not claim the exemption for that year. These declarations must be filed with the return of the one claiming the exemption.

Q. May I claim my wife's exemption on my separate return?

A. Only if your wife had no income and was not the dependent of another taxpayer. A husband and wife may also file a joint return even though one had no income. However, if the wife had any income, no matter how small, the only way the husband can claim his wife's exemption is for them to file jointly, reporting their tax incomes together. Technically, a wife is not a dependent for income tax purposes. The exemption is based on the marital relationship rather than dependency. Thus, the taxpayer will find that there is one set of rules for his wife's exemption and another set of rules for

exemptions of children and other dependent relations.

Q. I expect to obtain outside help for this year's federal income tax return. How can I be sure the man I get to help me is reliable?

A. The majority of tax advisors are competent and honest. The things to look for are: avoid the man who "guarantees" you a refund; be on guard if he suggests that the refund be sent to his address; never sign a blank tax form; don't sign a form that has been prepared in pencil, the figures could be easily changed; ask the advisor to sign the return he has prepared. Remember that you, (the taxpayer), are legally responsible for the contents of your tax return regardless of who prepares it.

Q. On my W-2 form, there are two different boxes showing the amount of wages I received. Which figure should I use?

A. Use the amount shown in the box marked, "Wages paid subject to withholding in 1965." The other box shows how much of your earnings were subject to Social Security Tax.

Q. I received \$1,500.00 under the will of my deceased uncle. Must I report this amount as income on my federal income tax return?

A. No. Gifts, bequests or inheritances received by you are not income. If property so received later produces income of a taxable nature, the income is taxable.

## Unusual?

In the Jan. 27 issue of the TOWNSMAN we invited townspeople to write in, giving us an opinion on whether or not the town of Andover should enter into a contract with the MBTA to continue rail service.

To date we have not received a single letter from an Andover taxpayer on this subject. Not even from those who are known to support such an agreement.

## Down the Years with The Townsman

75 Years Ago — February, 1891  
Several members of Free Church congregation are contemplating giving a concert of war songs.

Miss M. A. Whitehouse, formerly principal of the Grammar School, was in town Saturday, calling on friends.

The assessors have issued their valuation book. One of the largest real estate owners in the town, "I've been selling real estate for fifteen years, and haven't bought a bit, and am worth twice as much now as ten years ago." By this it would seem that if the valuations were taken as often as once in five years, we should all become millionaires in a few decades.

It has been said that the only things men are sure of are death and taxes. If results follow present indications, in Andover finances, the latter surety will be modified and Andover citizens will be sure of death and BIG taxes, even Andover's charms would be hardly sufficient to offset a tax rate of \$20 in the eyes of most builders.

50 Years Ago — February, 1916  
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Holt of Chestnut St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen E. to Clarence H. Weeks.

The Andover Steam Laundry has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$10,000.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rose, formerly of West Parish, but of late years of Meredith, N. H. have returned to the parish and will make their home here.

Miss Annie Ness of Red Spring Rd. has entered the office of the Tyler Rubber Co.

After taking the mid-year exams at Harvard, Herbert Carter is spending a short recess at his home in West Parish.

An avalanche of mail orders and steady patronage of the box office for the engagement of Henry Miller and Ruth Chatterton in "Daddy Long Legs," which will be on Monday, show that Boston theatergoers are extraordinarily interested in the present appearance of the co-stars in Jean Webster's fascinating comedy.

Miss Helen Batchelor of Boston, Ct. celebrated her fourteenth birthday on last Friday evening when several of her young friends gathered at her home.

25 Years Ago — February, 1941  
If it were in Germany, some official would say, "Close up those grades," and they'd be closed. But this is America. Last Thursday night Supt. Kenneth L. Sherman went to a meeting of the Ballardvale PTA and put to the parents a problem: "Next year your fifth and sixth grades will be very small, probably not totaling over 7 pupils. What should we do about it?"

Miss Gladys Brainerd of the Town House has returned to work following an absence due to serious illness.

A group of EDP fraternity boys left the Highland Road frat house Friday evening after giving a young man his next-to-last night of "running". About an hour later the fire alarm rang, with firemen arriving in time to confine all the damage to a rug, a davenport, a radio and victrola.

Miss Lucille Nollert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nollert, River Rd., has been named Good Citizen in the senior class at Punchard High.

10 Years Ago — February, 1956  
The Raytheon Manufacturing Co. has taken an option on the Shawheen Mills. Its plans for the plant consisting of five buildings and a powerhouse, call for employing 1,000 persons in the first year of operation. Up to 6,000 men and women could be employed by the end of five years, the firm said, provided for government contracts are secured.

Officer Roy Russell sustained injuries, including broken ribs, cut knee and a forehead laceration, when the police car he was driving to a Ballardvale emergency skidded on the ice on Central St. and hit a moving van.

The planning board has approved Sidney P. White's request that an area of land between Andover St. and the railroad tracks be rezoned for industry.



RICHARD W. BUSBY

## Busby Named Sports Editor

Richard W. Busby, 16 Lincoln St., a junior at Norwich University, has been named sports editor of the Gull, Norwich's student newspaper.

Busby, who is a business administration major at the military college, is a 1963 graduate of Andover High School. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Busby.

## Service Club Meets Tuesday

Members of the Andover Service Club are asked to return reservations for the Feb. 15 Ladies Night which is to be held at Fieldstones.

The club secretary immediately. A special program has been arranged to interest women reading.

The club held its last meeting at Andover Country Club where Edward Bresnahan, manager of sales planning department of Ford division of Ford Motor spoke. He touched on the out-

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## OBITUARIES

### CARL H. STEVENS

Carl H. Stevens, 500 Lowell St., a retired motorcycle patrolman, died Feb. 8 at Lawrence General Hospital after a short illness.

Born in Durham, N. H., he had lived in Andover 50 years. He served 20 years with the town police department after his appointment in March, 1926.

After his retirement, he started a local contracting business.

The former police officer was a veteran of both World War I and World War II, serving first with the U. S. Navy and then the U. S. Coast Guard. He was a member of Aleppo Temple, Mystic Shrine of Boston, the Andover Police Relief Assn., Andover Post 8, American Legion and Andover Post, Disabled War Veterans. He attended West Parish Congregational Church.

He is survived by his wife, Ruth (Thresher) Stevens; two daughters, Virginia, wife of Comm. R. C. Small of Albuquerque, N. M., and Shirley, wife of John Brennan of Derry, N. H.; a sister, Mrs. Helen Stewart of Haverhill; also six grandchildren.

Private funeral services will be held today at Lundgren Funeral Home. Burial will be in Braintree, Vt.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Essex north chapter of the Massachusetts Heart Assn., 83 Emerson St., Haverhill.

### MRS. ANNE S. SYMONS

Mrs. Anne S. (Collinson) Symons, 10 Carmel Rd., died suddenly Feb. 5. She was 49.

Born in Lisbon, Maine, Mrs. Symons had lived in Greater Lawrence 45 years. She was a real estate broker with James F. Trefrey Inc., Andover, and a member of the Unitarian-Universalist Church and the November Club. She is survived by her husband, Fred Symons; a daughter, Cynthia Anne; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Collinson of Methuen; a sister, Mrs. William (Nancy) Page of Old Chatham, N. Y.; a niece and a nephew.

The funeral will be held today at 1:30 p.m. at the Unitarian-Universalist Church with Rev. Keith Mun-

son officiating. Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery, Methuen.

Donations may be made to the Unitarian-Universalist Church Memorial Fund.

### MRS. EFFIE MILLER

Mrs. Effie M. (Harmon) Miller, 87, a former resident of Andover and Boston, died Feb. 8 at Henry C. Nevins Home, Methuen, following a long illness.

She was the widow of Dr. Edward A. Miller.

Mrs. Miller was a member of Old North Church, Boston.

She is survived by two nieces, Mrs. Alonzo B. Reed of Carlisle and Mrs. Paul Walker of Bridgeton, Maine; and a nephew, Victor C. Harmon of Concord.

The funeral will be held today from the Lundgren Funeral Home with Rev. Richard R. Streeter, assistant minister of South Congregational Church officiating. Burial will be in Spring Grove Cemetery.

## Birth Control Guild Subject

Rev. Donald Burt, O.S.A., will speak on "The Morality of the Pill" this evening at 8:30 p.m. for members of the Mothers' Guild of St. Augustine's Parish. Presently assistant to the president of Merrimack College, Rev. Burt has also served as its chaplain.

A Villanova graduate, he was ordained in 1955 at the National Shrine in Washington, D. C. Later Rev. Burt received both his master's and doctor of philosophy degrees from Catholic University.

Mrs. Edmund Sullivan, meeting chairman, has invited all interested women to join Guild members to hear the guest speaker. She will be assisted by Mrs.

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### PERSONAL

Mrs. Edwin Bramley of Andover is a member of the sponsoring committee for Champagne Preview to open the 1966 New England Spring Flower Show, March 12-20 in Wonderland Park, Revere, sponsored by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society.

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Miss Susan Janet Cole, a sophomore is a graduate of Andover High School.

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## Two Attend Conference

Miss Elizabeth Russell and Mrs. Ross Eldridge attended the winter meeting of the Round Table of Children's Librarians at the Boston Public Library. The varied program included three speakers: one, on federal legislation; one, on the Headstart program; and one on children's authors.

Charles Adams from the State division of library extension spoke on Federal legislation as it affects schools and libraries. His primary concern was with ESEA (Elementary and Secondary Education Act) which authorizes federal grants for school materials communities in the state on a per pupil basis.

Mrs. Rheable Edwards, director of the Headstart program in the Boston area explained the purpose, the accomplishments, and the future aims of the project. This group works with the pre-school children in the areas of education, health and social service.

Mrs. Natalie Savage Carlson, the third speaker, is the author of twenty books for children - many of them family stories based on her own happy childhood experiences. As a navy wife, she has traveled all over the world thus accounting for the various backgrounds used in her stories, some of which are CARNIVAL IN PARIS, THE EMPTY SCHOOLHOUSE, THE FAMILY UNDER THE BRIDGE AND A BROTHER FOR THE ORPHELINES.

## Sculpture Wins Prize

A piece of life-like snow sculpture depicting Rev. Hartland Gifford of the Faith Lutheran Church kneeling before an altar won first prize for the church's twelve Luther Leaguers in a contest held last weekend at the winter conference of the leagues of eastern Massachusetts in Pembroke, N.H. The trophy will be placed in a case in the new Faith Lutheran Church upon its completion.

The conference was the first district meeting attended by the Andover league formed only a year ago. The local young people were among 238 leaguers who participated in a weekend program which included Bible study, social activities, winter sports and Christian worship.

W. Richard Clendaniel and Richard Stratton were counselors for the local participants. Luther leaguers who won the snow sculpture contest were Bill and Tom Over, Cathy Spangenberg, Lou Ann Gawron, Eric and Christine Anderson, Richard Haag, Hunter Clouse, Dennis Sitzler, Kathy Mattsson, Lynn Himmer and Barbara Roediger.

## GI Release Is Necessary

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This can be obtained upon request to VA, if VA approves the buyer as a good credit risk.

A release from liability, however, does not restore the veteran's eligibility for another GI loan.

This can be restored only when the VA is no longer liable to the lender on the guaranty, and if the veteran:

(a) is forced to sell his home through no fault of his own, for reasons of health, employment, etc.;

(b) has his property taken by a Government agency for public use, or destroyed by a natural hazard; or

(c) is in military service and must dispose of his home because of a military transfer.

Further information may be obtained at the VA office, One Beacon Street, Boston, Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reardon, Birch Rd., returned this week from a motor trip which took them to Kentucky and Naples and Orlando, Fla.

## Memorial Hall Library

### Coming Events February

- 10 Blue yarns - 10 a.m. - Ballardvale branch;
- 12 Story hour - 10 a.m. - Children's Room;
- 15 Bunnies - 10 a.m. - Children's room;
- Great Books Discussion - 7:30 p.m. - Children's Room;
- 17 Red yarns - 10 a.m. - Ballardvale branch.

### Great Books

"Novum Organum or True Directions Concerning the Interpretation of Nature" by Francis Bacon is the springboard for next Tuesday's Great Books discussion. Members will meet in the Children's room at 7:30 p.m. to talk about Book I. Bacon wrote in short paragraphs he called aphorisms. Book I has 130, one of which observes "Man, being the servant and interpreter of nature, can do and understand so much only as he has observed in fact or in thought of the course of nature: beyond this he neither knows anything nor can do anything".

### Junior High Researchers

Two classes of 9th graders from Andover Junior High School last week visited Memorial Hall Library as part of their language research laboratory under the direction of Mrs. Henry DeCesar.

The students, who select a research topic, work in teams. Each student searches the library's catalog, the Reader's Guide to Periodical Literature, and together members of a team select books, magazines and pamphlets. Monday's class of 38 was divided into six teams. The leaders were Eric Anderson, Marilyn Bono, Stephen Bull, Betty Fenier, Margie Cowdery and Kathy Bronson.

Thursday's group of 34 was led by Carol Letourneau, Susan Marreo, Susan Holmes, Holly Hollan, Susan Leadbitter and Kathy Monroe.

Teams are researching subjects of their selection among which are -counterfeiting, Marxism, conservation, modern art, superstition and mental telepathy.

The material to supply study in depth which the groups took back to school numbered some 240 books, magazines and pamphlets.

### New Books

New books from everywhere are on display at Memorial Hall Library for many age groups and for those who wish to pursue special interests.

The Main Reading Room, top floor of the building, is the place to look for new arts, crafts and hobby books.

Giachino - AMERICAN TECHNICAL SOCIETY'S DRAFTING, 3rd edition.

Conditt - AMERICAN BUILDING ART: THE NINETEENTH CENTURY.

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Kinloch - SAUCE FOR THE MONGOOSE (a real-life Ricki Tikki-tavi)

Wilber - PAKISTAN, ITS PEOPLE, ITS SOCIETY, ITS CULTURE

Chess - YOUR CHILD IS A PERSON

Buck - THE GIFTS THEY BRING (our debt to the mentally retarded)

Fairchild - THE FASHIONABLE SAVAGES - (the world of Indian wear, with a difference)

Special for teens in the Young Adult Corner (Main Reading Room) are:

Noshpitz - UNDERSTANDING OURSELVES

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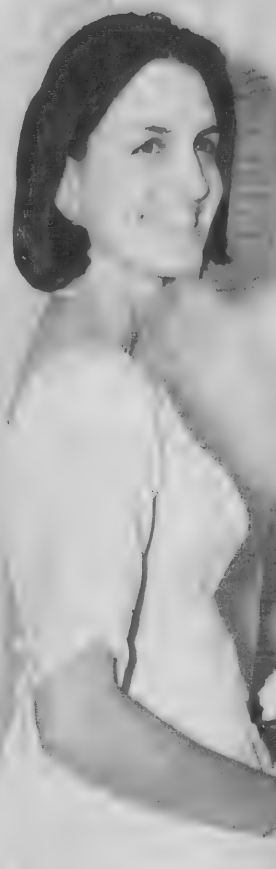
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reception and dinner at Fieldstones.

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linen with white bodice, carrying white carnations and matching flowers in her hair.

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Her corsage was of white roses. Dean Rohrer of Larchmont, N. Y., was best man, Michael

Watson, brother of the groom, of Savannah, Ga., ushered with

Winthrop H. Newcomb of Andover, groomer of the bride.

Mrs. Watson is an alumna of Holyoke College and Katherine

School of New York. Her husband is a graduate of Yale

University and University of Virginia Law School. He is presently

with the law firm of Cravath, Thorne &amp; Moore in New York.

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## Paul Revere Bells November Club Topic

"Paul Revere's Bells" will be described by Mrs. Edward Stickney of Bedford in her talk for members of the November Club who will meet at the home of Mrs. Leslie Hutchinson, 172 Salem St., on Feb. 14 at 2:30 p.m. The program has been arranged by the club's art department.

Over a period of many years, Evelyn and Edward Stickney have devoted much time to research the nearly 400 Revere bells and have actually traced 112 bearing the famous patriot's name. They have carefully listed the locations and dates of bells still in existence in their publication "Revere Bells". The booklet includes such interesting facts about the master craftsman as his insistence on the correct technique for hanging bells to prevent cracking.

Illustrating her lecture with colored slides, Mrs. Stickney will describe the historical value and workmanship in the Revere bells, most of which now remain in New England with North Andover one of eight communities that can boast of two.

### MCCORMICK HONORED

Michael A. McCormick, 31 Lucerne Dr., was honored in Florida last week as a leading producer of group life insurance sales for the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Co. during 1965.

McCormick is Manager of the Boston Group Life Insurance Office. He was among 23 group production leaders from across the nation honored for their outstanding records of sales and service.

### Lecture Set For Students

The third in a series of public school cultural enrichment programs will be held this Saturday, Feb. 12, at 11:15 at Andover High School Auditorium.

Prof. James St. Germain, chair-

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## Miss Deborah Newcomb, Phillip Watson Marry

Miss Deborah Clark Newcomb, daughter of Mr. Winthrop Newcomb and the late Mrs. Newcomb of Andover, was married Saturday, Feb. 12, to Phillip Alan Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orris Watson of Charleston, W. Va.

The ceremony, performed by the Rev. Frederick B. Noss, took place at the South Church, Congregational, and was followed by reception and dinner at Field House.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an eighteenth century princess-style gown of white satin with Dior bows and a long train. With it she wore an English illusion veil, attached to a pillbox cap with Dior roses. She carried a bouquet of white roses and carnations.

Miss Elizabeth Newcomb, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, wearing a floor-length gown of white linen with white bodice. She carried white carnations and matching flowers in her hair. For her son's wedding, Mrs. Watson wore a green wool suit with a white stole and flowered hat. Her corsage was of white roses. Dean Rohrer of Larchmont, N. Y., was best man. Michael Watson, brother of the groom, of Savannah, Ga., ushered with Randolph H. Newcomb of Andover, brother of the bride.

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## Have You Forgotten?

Have you forgotten that all club and social news is to be delivered to the TOWNSMAN no later than Monday of the week it is to be published, or telephoned directly to Mrs. Robert Kenney, our new staff member, at 475-3163.

Along with this reminder, this word of advice: your news can receive more thorough attention if it does not come in at the last minute when our desks are flooded. When you can, send that release in a week ahead of time, marked for the issue you have in mind, or give Mrs. Kenney an advance call. It will pay off in the end.

### ACCOUNTANTS MEET

Merlin Perkins, assistant treasurer and controller for Howard Johnson Co., spoke on modernizing accounting systems at Wednesday's meeting of the Merrimack Valley chapter of the National Association of Accountants.

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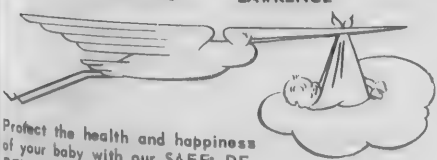
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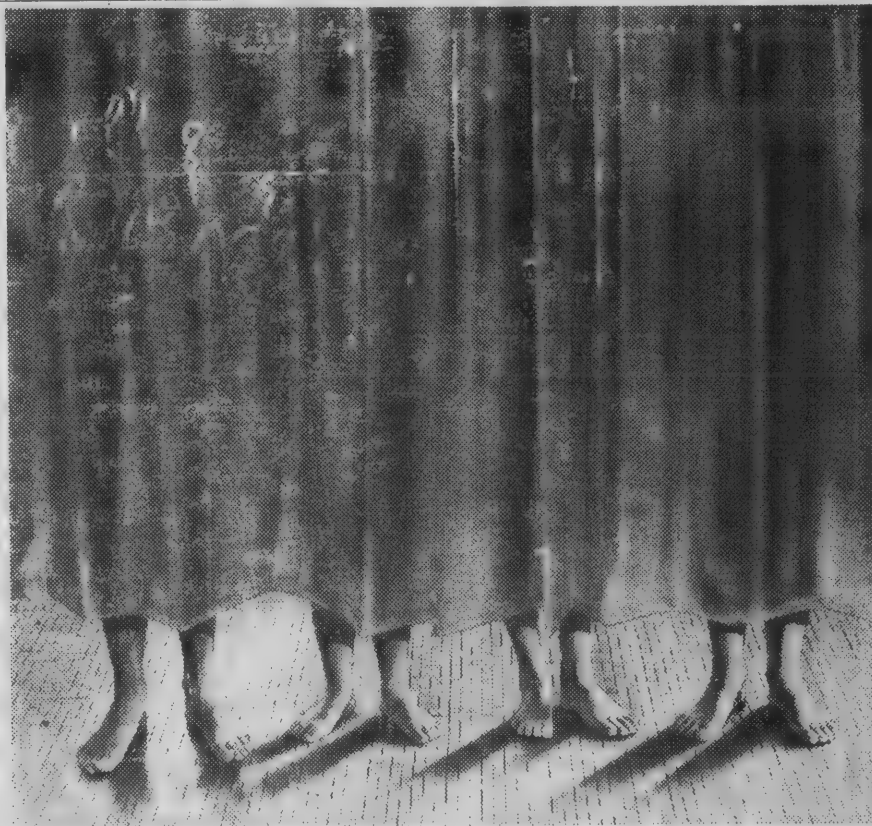
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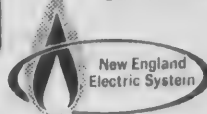


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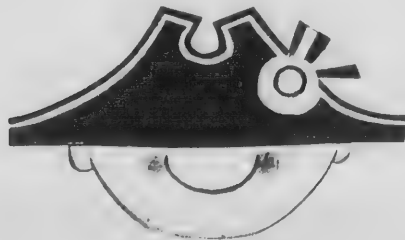
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## June Ceremony Planned By Marcia Lee Saliba

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Saliba, 6 Gardner Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcia Lee, to Frederic W. Newcomb, son of Mrs. Andrew Newcomb of Randolph and Walderboro, Maine, and Mr. Andrew Newcomb of Boston. Miss Saliba is a graduate of Abbot Academy and Boston University and now has a position with Robotham & Meissner Advertising Co., Boston. An alumnus of Thayer Academy



MISS MARCIA L. SALIBA  
(Loring)

and Boston University, Mr. Newcomb is employed by General Motors.

Andover relatives and friends recently gave a party in the couple's honor.

They plan to marry on June 18.

The man who wins may have been counted out several times, but couldn't hear the referee.

## 1975 Furniture Trends Is Designer's Subject

"American families won't buy furniture in 1975 - they'll lease it for one room or for the entire house," predicts Frank Niziak, Lawrence interior designer and owner of a home furnishings store.

Calling upon his fifteen years' experience and a growing reputation as a home design authority, Niziak will speak about future buying trends to the Newcomers' Club at their Feb. 16 meeting scheduled for the Baptist Church at 8 p.m. His talk is entitled "Home Furnishings in 1975".

Popular furniture styles, effective use of color and room planning will be discussed by the interior designer, who will bring several displays and bulletin boards.

Using his own specially designed graph paper, Mr. Niziak will demonstrate how to carefully arrange interiors by using miniature furniture patterns in a relative scale. He insists that this is the correct way for a home owner to visualize how her furnished rooms will look.

An Andover resident, Mr. Niziak recently was named to the board of governors of the New England Home Furnishings Club. He will

also serve for the second time as fashion co-ordinator for the "Furniture, Fashion and Design Show" which is to be held at Boston's War Memorial auditorium next fall.

Each Newcomer will receive a 128-page handbook describing all kinds of furniture available today and will have an opportunity to question the speaker.

Mrs. David Gump, club program chairman, has announced that bands of members will be welcome at Wednesday's meeting and social hour.

## Births...

LYNCH - A son Feb. 6 at Lawrence General Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lynch, 19 Vine St. The mother was Elizabeth Tamm.

DONLAN - A son, Michael, 4 at Alexandria Hospital, Alexandria, Va., to Mr. and Mrs. Donlan, 5701 Sanger Ave., Alexandria, Va. The mother was Walsh, daughter of Mrs. Anne Walsh, 2 Forbes Ln.

TISBERT - A daughter Feb. 1 at Bon Secours Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tisbert, 12 Greenwood Rd. The mother was Jean Thibault.

BURGIEL - A son Feb. 3 at Lawrence General Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burgiel, 305 Main St. The mother was Patricia Arnold.

TREMBLAY - A son Feb. 1 at Bon Secours Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tremblay, 36 York St. The mother was Katherine McCarvill.

## Four Attend Science Talk

Four Andover students attended a Science Frontiers lecture at Boston's Museum of Science last month. They were among the superior science students selected from New England high schools.

Attending were: David Rasmussen, 24 Lincoln Cir., Andover; John Fisher, 109 Central St., Austin Prep; Stephen L. Williams, 79 Wildwood Rd., Austin Prep; and Mary Ann DeBolt, 79 Wildwood Rd., Presentation of Mary Academy.

The students heard Dr. Isidore Asimov, associate professor of biochemistry at Boston University. The lecture was the third in a series.

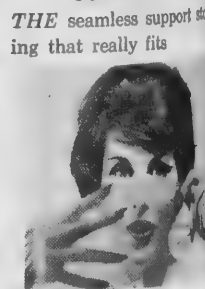
## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE ON FRIDAY

Doors will open at 7:15 p.m. tomorrow for the 8 p.m. lecture by Josephine H. Carver, Christian Scientist lecturer, who is speaking at Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy.

Her appearance locally is sponsored by First Church of Christ, Scientist, Andover. Mrs. Carver is to speak on the subject "Have a Purpose."

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## Margaret M. Lawlor Bride Of David Pearson

Margaret M. Lawlor and David Pearson who were married Dec. 10 at St. Robert Bellarmine's church in a ceremony performed by Rev. Francis E. Lawlor, assisted by Rev. Richard V. Lawlor, the bride is the daughter of Dr. Mrs. John Lawlor, 10 Pasho St. and the bridegroom, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pearson, Elm St.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white silk organza gown and a veil of Alencon lace. She carried a bouquet of roses and daisies.

The wedding was officiated by Rev. James J. O'Connor of Chicago who was her sister's matron of honor and another sister, Miss Patchogue.

The wedding was held at the Shawheen Village Women's Club which will hold a dinner dance at the Andover Country Club on March 12 at 6:30 p.m.

Mrs. James Hedrick, dance committee chairman, and her assistant, Mrs. John Caswell, announced that tickets for the event may be obtained from the following members: Mrs. John Bangert, Mr. Henry Becker, Mrs. Martin May Jr., Mrs. James Deyo, Mr. Weston Eastman, Mrs. Charles Hughes, Mrs. R. Joseph Ireland, Mrs. Thomas Marjeri, Mrs. Richard O'Neil, Mrs. Francis Reilly and Mrs. Richard Ryan.

## Winter Carnival

Two Andover girls will attend the 22nd annual winter carnival at Proctor Academy, Andover, N.H., this weekend.

Miss Lynn Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Black, 9 Wolcott St., will be the guest of Frederick W. Bradley Jr., of Andover. Miss Judy Freije, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Freije, 1001 E. Main St., will be escorted by George Infanti of Milford, N.H.

**VOLUNTEER**  
Miss Rebekah Taft of Andover joined the Merrimack River Scout Council to serve on the council committee. She is a former national staff member.

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## Girl Scouts Go Sledding

Junior Girl Scout Troop 73 recently held a sledding and square dancing party at the Andover Recreation Park under the direction of Leslie Bartow, head of local recreation.

Mrs. Donald Sagaser is the troop leader. Her assistants are Mrs. Henry Anthony, Mrs. Robert Burns, Mrs. Arthur Glines and Mrs. Robert Goodwin.

The thirty-four girls in the group are Jane Anthony, Valerie Bell, Cynthia Burns, Jane Caswell, Mary Lou Chapman, Sally Connolly, Martha Coombs, Barbara Downs, Lori Draper, Leslie Fisher, Cheryl Foster, Carol Glines, Melissa Goodwin, Priscilla Gordon, Virginia Hall, Heidi Holihan, Nancy Lanigan, Sheryl Lawson, Nancy LeGendre, Donna Magane, Joan McDonald, Cynthia Moss, Laurie Moulton, Nancy Mullett, Karen Remeis, Laura Richards, Jennifer Rossig, Susan Ryder, Deborah St. Louis, Nancy Sagaser, Beth Schneider, Jean Sherman, Barbara Towne and Lynn Webster.

## Local Woman Is Show Aide

Mrs. Ralph H. Hill of the Andover Garden Club is a member of the committee of the Garden Club Federation of Mass., Inc., which will present outstanding flower arrangements at the 95th New England Spring Flower Show, March 12-20, at Wonderland Park, Revere.

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Mrs. Hill serves as entries co-chairman for the committee.

## RADCLIFFE TEA

Mrs. Francis McCarthy of Andover, president of the Merrimack Valley Radcliffe Club, will assist at a traditional tea Feb. 16 to honor Radcliffe Club scholars from many parts of our country. The tea will be held at the alumnae house in Cambridge.

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She carried a bouquet of roses and ranunculus.

Mrs. James J. O'Connor of Chicago was her sister's matron of honor and another sister, Miss

Sheila Lawlor of Andover, was the maid of honor. They wore blue brocade gowns and carried stephanotis and ivy bouquets.

The bride's mother was dressed in a turquoise and gold brocade suit. Mrs. Pearson wore a gold brocade ensemble. The bridegroom's grandmother, Mrs. Jean Coutts, chose a navy blue dress.

Paul Casper of Patchogue, N.Y., was the best man. The ushers were William Simeone of Andover, Harry Hall of Patchogue, and the bridegroom's brother, Richard Pearson.

The wedding reception was held at the Lanam Club.

The couple is now residing in Patchogue, N. Y.

## Club Planning Dinner Dance

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## Winter Carnival

Two Andover girls will attend the 22nd annual winter carnival at Proctor Academy, Andover, this weekend.

Miss Lynn Black, daughter of Elizabeth Black, 9 Wolcott St., will be the guest of Frederick W. Bradley Jr. of Andover. Miss Judy Freije, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Freije, 1000 N. Main St., will be escorted by George Infanti of Milford, N.H.

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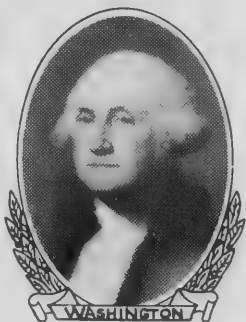
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tism and Sermon; 10:30 a.m.  
Second Session Church School;  
Adult Coffee-Forum Hour; 11 a.m.  
Morning Prayer and Sermon; 4  
p.m. Adult Confirmation Class;  
5 p.m. Junior EYC; 7 p.m. Senior  
EYC.

## West Parish Church

REV. BRUCE VANBLAIR

SUNDAY: 7:30 a.m. Bible Study  
Group; 9 a.m. Church Service;  
Adult Seminar; Church School  
(grades 5-12); 10:30 a.m. Church  
Service; Church School (Cradle  
Roll thru Grade 4); 3 p.m. Fish-  
ermen's Trust; 4 p.m. Pre-member-  
ship discussion; 6 p.m. Junior &  
Senior Pilgrim Fellowship will  
have guest speaker present illus-  
trated talk on the Boston Re-  
development Authority and its work  
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REV. EARL ROBINSON, Pastor

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Bible School  
classes and contest in Primary-  
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bring your Bible; 10:45 a.m. Wor-  
ship with sermon on "The Segre-  
gated Hour?"; Nursery to age 5;  
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REV. J. ALLYN BRADFORD, Pastor  
SUNDAY: 8:40 a.m. Choir re-  
hearsal; 9 a.m. Church School  
Grades 4-12; 10:15 a.m. Worship  
Service - Sermon title "Unfinished  
Work"; 10:15 a.m. Nursery thru  
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## Church League Releases Mid-Year Team Standings

At the halfway mark in the Church Basketball League season, the West A team is leading the junior division and St. Augustine's A team is at the head of the intermediate division.

In full, team standings are as follows:

JUNIORS - West A, 5-0; Christ 4-1; St. Aug. D, 3-2; St. Aug. A, 3-2; St. Aug. B, 3-2; South, 2-3; Baptist, 2-3; St. Aug. C, 2-3; Free, 1-4; and West B, 0-5.

INTERMEDIATES - St. Aug. A, 5-0; West A, 4-1; South A, 3-1; St. Aug. B, 2-2; Free, 1-3; West B, 0-4; South B, 0-4.

Scores for Monday's games; JUNIOR DIV. - Christ - St. Aug. (D) (11-1). For Christ, S. Robinson scored 7 points Long and Stanwood also chipped in. For St. Aug. (D), J. Cox led the team.

St. Aug. (A) topped South (28-6). For St. Aug., M. Sadowski (18) and M. Morreo (10) led the victory. For South Young and Luscott showed a fine effort.

West (A) won over Free (16-5).

## St. Robert Bellarmine Church

REV. FRANCIS L. SULLIVAN

SUNDAY: Masses 7, 9, 11:30 a.m.

## St. Joseph's Church

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SUNDAY: Masses - 8, 9, and 11 a.m. Confessions heard before Mass.

## St. Augustine's Church

Rev. Kenneth J. Kennedy, O.S.A.  
Pastor

SUNDAY: Masses - 6:30, 7:30, 8:45, 10, 11:15, 11:20 (downstairs), 12:30 p.m. Baptisms; 2:30 followed by Blessing of the Mother - by appointment at the Rectory during the previous week.

## South Church of Andover

(United Church of Christ)

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS

SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Grades 5-8; Confirmation Class; Middle and Senior High Class; 10:30 a.m. Crib Room through Grade 4; 10:30 a.m. Family Morning Worship, Rev. Frederick B. Noss preaching; 3-5 p.m. Membership Seminar; 5:30 p.m. Ninth Grade PF; 6:15 p.m. Senior High PF.

## First Church of Christ

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(6 Locke Street)

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 11 a.m. Church Service. Subject of lesson sermon: "Soul".

## Girl Scout Camp Dates

Girl Scout camp dates for the 1966 season have scheduled as follows:

Runels and Maude Eaton - 1st session - June 26 to July 9; 2nd session - July 10 to July 23; 3rd session - July 24 to August 6; 4th session - Runels Only: August 7 to August 20.

Merrymeting, Kiwanis, Sacajawea - 1st session - July 5 to July 14; 2nd session - July 18 to July 28; 3rd session - August 1 to August 11; (Sessions are Monday through Thursday except for the first week when they will be Tuesday through Friday, July 5th through July 8th.) Dates for Petapawag will be announced.

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For West, V. Bruno (6) and Tucker (4) led the victory. Free, Gerrish was top player.

St. Aug. (B) topped West (18-1). For St. Aug. Ter. (10) and T. Hajj (6) led the victory.

For West, C. Brown (6) and St. Aug. (C) topped West (18-1). For St. Aug. Ter. (10) and T. Hajj (6) led the victory.

St. Aug. (C) topped West (18-1). For St. Aug. Ter. (10) and T. Hajj (6) led the victory.

In a hard fought battle, For St. Aug. team, W. Boland scored and R. St. Armand played a fine game, R. Cherry rolled up 19 points for the Baptist.

INTERMEDIATE DIV. - St. Aug. (B) Free (36-16). For St. Aug. Harding had 12 and B. Barnett (18-1). For St. Aug. Ter. (10) and T. Hajj (6) led the victory.

Free, D. Towne had 8 points. Aug. (A) - South (B) (45-2). For Aug. (A) B. Connors 16 and Connors 7 paved the way. For South (B), J. Emmert led the team.

In the final game, West (A) - West (B) (51-12). For West (A), K. St. gent, C. Forrest and J. St. gent led the victory effort. For West (B), R. Homewood 5 points and a floor game by C. Pfaff and B. G. were the highlights.

## Senior Is "Homemaker"

Andover High School's Betty Crocker Homemaker Tomorrow is Ann C. Copeland.

scored highest in a written knowledge and attitude examination taken by senior girls Dec. 7 and now eligible for state and national scholarship awards. Ann already earned a special award from the program's sponsor, General Mills.

Test papers of all school seniors in the state are being judged and a State Homemaker of Tomorrow and runner-up will be selected soon. The state homemaker will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship, and her school will be awarded a complete set of Encyclopedia Britannica by the publisher. The second-runner-up girl in the state will receive a \$500 educational grant.

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## Fire Log

The Andover Fire Department answered the following calls between Jan. 25 and 31.

Jan. 25 - 138 Elm St., dryer fire, Robert Mower.

Jan. 27 - 30 Linda Rd., range fire, Richard Pangloss.

Jan. 29 - 54 Woodland St., defective boiler, Mrs. M. Mosher; 34 School St., ignition in boiler, Mrs. Myrtle Southworth.

Jan. 30 - 48 Central St., fire, Richard Lally.

A total of 18 ambulance calls were answered during the same period.

The Andover Fire Department responded to the following calls between Feb. 1 and Feb. 7.

Feb. 3 - 16 Johnson Rd., mobile fire, Patrick C. Valley National Bank, Main St.

Feb. 4 - Rear of the Merrimack Valley National Bank, Benjamin St.

Feb. 6 - 23 Bartlett St., fire (grease), Mrs. George Woburn St., false alarm, Town Andover.

The department answered 14 calls during the same period.

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In accordance with Chapter 40A, Section 6 of the General Laws, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held in the Conference Room, Town Hall, at 8:00 P.M., Monday, February 21st, 1966 for the consideration of the following amendments:

## ARTICLE

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaw by making the following changes:

1. Amend Section IV.B.47 to read "Y" (yes) in all districts and add to the use description the words "... provided a permit for the use has been issued by the Building Inspector."

2. Amend Section IV.B.31 by adding the words "poultry farms" after "piggeries".

3. Amend Section VIII.A. by adding the following sentence to the end of the last paragraph: "If the violation is not stopped within an appropriate time following notification, the Building Inspector shall notify the Town Manager for appropriate action."

4. Amend Section IV.B.30 (e) by deleting the last sentence and inserting the following:

"A lot containing more than one unregistered motor vehicle not in condition for travel and stored in the open shall be considered to fall within this definition. The one motor vehicle permitted shall be stored so that it is not visible from any way which abuts the lot on which the vehicle is stored."

5. Amend Section II.16 to read "...the nearest point of the principal building on the lot."

6. Amend Section V.B.3 by deleting the following phrase: "...which shall include an attached garage."

7. Amend Section II.2 by adding the following sentence: "A garage or other accessory building attached directly to the principal building, or connected by any enclosed or roofed structure, shall be considered to be a part of the principal building."

8. Amend Section V.B.2.a. by deleting the present section and replacing it with the following:

"The minimum yard depth requirements shall not apply in any district to uncovered stairs, small bays or eaves, provided the same do not extend more than five feet into a front or side yard, or ten feet into a rear yard."

9. Amend Section V.B.2.d. by deleting the following phrase: "...except as provided for accessory buildings in paragraph 3 below."

10. Amend Section V.B.3. by deleting phrase "e".

11. Amend Section VI.B.2 by adding a new subsection as follows: "VI.B.2.f. ... No temporary signs related to the election of candidates for public office shall be permitted in any district."

12. Amend Section VI.B.2. by adding a new subsection as follows: "VI.B.2.g. ... All signs permitted under the provisions of Section V.B. shall be properly maintained at all times."

13. Amend Section VI.B.1. by adding the following sentence to paragraph 2: "For a sign painted on or applied to a building, the area shall be considered to include all lettering, wording and accompanying designs or symbols, together with any backing different in color or material from the finish material of the building face."

14. Amend Section VI.B. (Sign Section) by making the following changes:

A. Add a new subsection as follows: Section VI.B.3.a.(6): "... No part of any sign permitted in a residential district shall be more than 15 feet above ground level."

b. Add the following to the last sentence in Section VI.B.3.b. (3): "... and no part of the sign shall be more than 25 feet above ground level."

c. Add the following to the last sentence in Section VI.B.3.d. (3): "... and no part of any such sign shall be more than 25 feet above ground level."

d. Add the following at the end of the first sentence in Section VI.B.3.b. (2): "... and in no case more than 200 square feet."

e. In Section VI.B.3.c. (2) delete the last sentence and add at the end of the preceding sentence the following words: "... and in no case more than 200 square feet."

Add also, same section, the following sentence: "Small individual signs not exceeding two square feet in area, on windows and identifying the occupants therein, shall be excluded from the above limitations."

15. Amend Section II by adding the following two new definitions: Nonconforming building, structure or lot: A building, structure or lot that does not conform to a dimensional regulation prescribed in this Bylaw for the district in which it is located or to other regulations of this Bylaw excepting use regulations, but which building, structure or lot was in existence at the time the regulation became effective and was lawful at the time it was established.

Nonconforming use: A use of a building or lot, which use does not conform to a use regulation prescribed by this Bylaw for the district in which it is located, but which was in existence at the time the use regulation became effective and was lawful at the time it was established.

16. Amend Section VII as follows: Delete the present Sections VII A. and B. and replace with the following new subsection A. and B.:

A. Alteration  
1. A nonconforming use may be extended, or a structure housing such a use may undergo alteration involving reconstruction, extension or structural change; provided that in no case may the use or structure or part of the structure housing the nonconforming use be enlarged or extended more than a sum total of 10 percent in volume or floor area during the life of the nonconformity; and provided further that such change shall be permitted only upon the lot on which the nonconforming use is located.

2. A nonconforming building or structure may be altered, enlarged or extended provided that the nonconformity is not thereby increased in extent or amount beyond its status on the date that it became nonconforming; except that for setback and yard requirements the regulations in effect at the time of issuance of a building permit shall be controlling.

## B. Replacement after Catastrophe

If a building or structure housing a nonconforming use shall have been damaged by fire, explosion or other catastrophe to the extent of 80% of its assessed value, such building or structure shall not be restored unless the Board of Appeals, acting under Section VIII.B.2, finds that such action is required to prevent unnecessary hardship or gross economic loss to the owner, and is not injurious to the district in which it exists. If damaged to a lesser degree, the building may be rebuilt and the nonconforming use restored, provided that in either of the above instances the extent of the nonconformity shall be in no way increased and that the same use, or a use less nonconforming, shall be restored. An opinion from the Town Assessor shall be requested in determining the extent of damage.

## ARTICLE

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning Bylaw by changing Paragraph 20, Section IV B. to read as follows:

20. Business, professional or administrative office, provided that such use in the S.R.A. District shall be allowed only in accordance

with Section VIII B.2. of this Bylaw, and shall in addition conform to the following specific requirements:

a. No lot may be used for this purpose unless at least 50% of the lot lies within 200' of the boundary of a General Business District, the distance to be measured from the perimeter of such district.

b. The use shall be permitted only in existing buildings. Existing buildings may be altered or enlarged provided that all dimensional requirements of the Bylaw are met.

c. In the case of a building not conforming to dimensional requirements, the building may be used provided that the extent of such nonconformance is not increased.

d. A minimum of four off-street parking spaces shall be provided for each doctor or dentist office, or one space for each 450 square feet of usable floor area for other professional offices. Such parking shall be furnished in the rear of the property where feasible and screened from adjacent residential property with a wall, fence or evergreen hedge, or a combination of these, at least five feet high.

## ARTICLE

### Section VI - Other Requirements

#### A. Parking

##### 5. General Business District

###### a. General Regulations

(1) In General Business Districts off-street parking areas shall be provided for certain uses as specified in Section VI. A.5.b. Each space shall contain not less than 160 square feet which shall be in addition to areas required for driveways, loading, walks and circulation.

(2) The required number of off-street spaces shall be provided on the same lot as the use or uses in question or on a lot within 400' of the property on which the use or uses are located.

(3) Parking spaces shall not be required if the computed requirement for non-residential uses in Business Districts is six spaces or less.

(4) The number of spaces required for a use or uses may be reduced in accordance with the table below provided that 50% of the property lies within the distance indicated from a lot dedicated to public parking. Distance shall be measured from the perimeter of the public parking lot.

DISTANCE	Reduction as a % of # of spaces in Public Parking Lot
100	20%
200	15%
300	10%
400	5%
over 400	0

(5) Required parking space may be provided for two or more uses on a common lot if the total space available is not less than the sum of the spaces required for each use individually. The required number of spaces on a common lot may be reduced by a Special Permit under Section VIII B.2 if it can be shown that the parking needs for the uses are such that a lower total will serve all uses adequately.

(6) Along a property line adjacent to a residential use, non-residential parking areas shall be suitably screened with a wall, fence or evergreen hedge, or a combination of these, at least five feet high.

(7) Buildings and land uses in existence or for which building permits have been issued at the date of the adoption of this Bylaw shall be exempt from the general parking requirements but shall be subject to the following provisions:

(a) Alterations or changes in uses, are permitted without being subject to the above requirements, provided that the number of spaces which would be required to serve the increase in floor area or the change in use does not exceed six spaces, or does not exceed 50% of the number of spaces which would be required for the existing building, whichever is larger.

(b) Where buildings are expanded, no parking facilities on land owned by the user shall be reduced so that the number of parking spaces is less than 75% of that number required for the original structure.

(8) When there are two or more uses in the same structure, the required spaces shall be the sum of the requirements for the individual uses. The required number of spaces on a common lot may be reduced by a Special Permit under Section VIII B.2 if it can be shown that the parking needs for the uses are such that a lower total will serve all uses adequately.

#### b. Table of Off-Street Parking Requirements

Note: The term "usable floor area" shall mean the floor area of the building or portion thereof in question excluding (1) stairs and hallways, (2) maintenance rooms or areas housing heating and ventilating equipment and (3) storage areas accessory to the operation of the activity.

(1) For retail and personal or consumer service establishments one space for each 300 square feet of usable floor area.

(2) For business, professional or administrative offices, one space for each 450 square feet of usable floor area.

(3) Medical or Health Center, four spaces for each doctor or dentist.

(4) For places of assembly for indoor recreation or amusement, one space for each three seats; or, where no fixed seats are used, one space for each 36 square feet of public floor area.

(5) For trade, professional or other school conducted as a gainful business, a number of spaces equal to one-half the school student capacity at any one session.

(6) For restaurant or similar establishments, one space for each 3 seats, plus one space for each 2 employees on principal work shift.

(7) For hotel or motel, one space for each sleeping unit in addition to those required for a restaurant, if any, as covered in "F" above.

(8) For gasoline service station or automobile repair garage, one space for each employee on principal work shift, plus two spaces for each service bay or 300 square feet of interior service area.

(9) For wholesale storage, warehousing or similar service uses, one space for each 600 square feet of usable floor area.

(10) For each dwelling unit, one space.

Andover Planning Board

By HAROLD T. KING, Chairman

F-3-10

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts LAND COURT

34123 Reg.

To the Town of Andover, a municipal corporation, located in the County of Essex and said Commonwealth; William M. Ross, Margaret C. Ross, Augusta F. Clark, Margaret Ellen Sweeney, Clinton R. Livingston and Elizabeth R. Livingston, all of said Andover; Ruth S. Marshall and Clifford E. Marshall, both of Dennis, in the County of Barnstable; The Andover Finance Company, a duly existing corporation, having an usual place of business in said Andover; and William F. Lane, deceased, or his heirs, devisees or legal representatives; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by GEORGINA LANE, of said Andover, to register and confirm her title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Andover, bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Bartlett Street 45 feet; Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Margaret Ellen Sweeney 100 feet; Southwesterly by land now or formerly of Augusta F. Clark 45 feet; and Northwesterly by land now or formerly of William M. Clark and Margaret C. Ross 100 feet.

Petitioner admits the above described land is subject to the right of owners of land adjoining the

westerly line of said property use in common with the petitioner a driveway five (5) feet in width along the westerly bound of above described premises.

Petitioner claims as apparent right to use in common with the lawfully entitled thereto a driveway, five (5) feet in width along the westerly boundary of the above described premises over land now or formerly of William M. Clark and Margaret C. Ross.

The above described land shown on a plan filed with said petition and all boundary lines claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

If you desire to make any objection or defense to said petition, or your attorney must file a written appearance and answer under oath, setting forth clearly and specifically your objections and defense, to each part of said petition, in the office of the clerk of said Court in Boston (at the Court House), or in the office of the Assistant Register of said Court at the Registry Deeds at Lawrence in the County of Essex where a copy of the petition is deposited, on or before the twenty-first day of February next.

Unless an appearance is so filed by or for you, your default will be recorded, the said petition will be taken as confessed and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

WITNESS, EDWARD MCPHERLIN, Esquire, Associate Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of January in the year nineteen hundred and sixty-six.

Attest with Seal of said Court

(Seal)  
MAYNARD R. GREIG, Deputy Register  
Victor L. Hatem, Esq.,  
101 Amesbury Street  
Lawrence, Mass. J-27; F-3

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 284983  
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM W. RHODES, late of Andover in said County, deceased, testate; and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL OF SAID COMMONWEALTH:

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased, EDITH H. W. RHODES, of Andover in the County of Essex, and England Merchants National Bank of Boston, formerly Merchants National Bank of Boston of Boston in the County of Suffolk, purporting that New England Merchants National Bank of Boston be appointed executor thereof, without giving surety on its bond, Edith H. W. Rhodes, one of the executors named in said will having declined to serve.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of February 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of January 1966.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register J-27; F-3

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 284983  
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of JOSEPH A. CLIFTON, late of Andover in said County, deceased, and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL of said Commonwealth:

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that JENNIFER P. CLIFTON of Andover in the County of Essex be appointed administratrix of said estate without giving a surety on her bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of February 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twentieth day of January 1966.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register J-27; F-3

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 284983  
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of IRENE O. ABBOTT late of Andover in said County, deceased, and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL of said Commonwealth:

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by HAROLD ABBOTT of Andover in the County of Essex praying that he be appointed executor thereof, with giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of April 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January 1966.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register  
Amesbury & Hatch, Attys.  
Amesbury Street,  
Lawrence, Mass. F3-10-17  
(Other Legals on Page 18)

# LEGAL NOTI

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts PROBATE COURT Docket No. 284542

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of CLIFTON R. HARRISON late of Andover in said County, deceased, and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL of said Commonwealth:

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and codicil of said deceased by CHARLES G. HATCH late of Andover in the County of Essex praying that he be appointed executor thereof, without giving a surety on his bond, NANCY HARRISON, one of the executors named in said will having deceased.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of February 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of January 1966.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register  
Amesbury & Hatch, Attys.  
Amesbury Street,  
Lawrence, Mass. F-10-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 284983  
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of REBECCA M. KYDD, late of Andover in said County, deceased, testate; and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL OF SAID COMMONWEALTH:

A petition has been presented to said Court for license to sell certain real estate, certain real estate of said deceased.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of February 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of February 1966.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register  
Amesbury & Hatch, Attys.  
Amesbury Street,  
Lawrence, Mass. F-10-17-24

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 284983  
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM W. RHODES, late of Andover in said County, deceased, testate; and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL OF SAID COMMONWEALTH:

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased, EDITH H. W. RHODES, of Andover in the County of Essex, and England Merchants National Bank of Boston, formerly Merchants National Bank of Boston of Boston in the County of Suffolk, purporting that New England Merchants National Bank of Boston be appointed executor thereof, without giving surety on its bond, Edith H. W. Rhodes, one of the executors named in said will having declined to serve.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twenty-first day of February 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of January 1966.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register J-27; F-3

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
PROBATE COURT  
Docket No. 284983  
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of IRENE O. ABBOTT late of Andover in said County, deceased, and to the ATTORNEY GENERAL of said Commonwealth:

A petition has been presented to said Court for probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will of said deceased by HAROLD ABBOTT of Andover in the County of Essex praying that he be appointed executor thereof, with giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the fourth day of April 1966, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of January 1966.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register  
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## Candidates Quizzed By League

The League of Women Voters will put into the mail this weekend their customary collection of candidate information data, including the first public statements on election issues by those seeking seats on the Board of Selectmen and School Committee.

The four candidates for selectmen were asked by the League to comment on their recommendations for meeting Andover's long range needs in water supply, conservation and downtown parking.

School Committee candidates were asked: In order to provide the best overall education for Andover pupils, in what areas do you feel we should be spending a) more money b) less money? Do you have any other suggested areas for school committee action that would require no additional cost?

### Board of Selectmen

In brief, here are the answers from the potential selectmen on water supply:

Brennan - A combined answer on water and conservation: Advocates awaiting results of Fish Brook project and soil survey before proposing any extensive and expensive water or conservation program. Wants to know more about Merrimack River pollution commitments, is for support of state and national programs on conservation and development of water resources.

Richmond - Proposes filter plant construction preparatory to use of Merrimack River water. Does not

see wells as an answer to substantial increase in demand.

Sweet - Proposes boring tests for deep wells in the hope of locating water adequate for an ultimate population of 50,000. If this is not possible, the town should prepare to draw from the Merrimack.

White - Refers voters to a report on the subject he made when last in office, the result of a 12-year study.

On conservation:  
Brennan - see above.  
Richmond - Favors "adequate" yearly fund for maintenance and improvements of town owned land and future acquisition for parks and playgrounds. Would preserve swamps for conservation of water and wildlife.

Sweet - Proposes acquiring combinations of woodlands and wetlands, preferably in juxtaposition, for recreation and wildlife.

White - Urges an extensive program without further delay.

On downtown parking:  
Brennan - Suggests additional municipal parking supported by meters of revenue from revaluation. Feels that "after a careful waiting period, the planning board could recommend other parking standards or amendments."

Richmond - Proposes close coordination between town and business community to provide parking, leaving as much to individual initiative as possible. Favors a municipal lot for town

employees.

Sweet - Proposes acquiring available land in the business area and establishing an "equitable and fair method of dividing the cost according to benefits derived."

### School Committee

In response to the questions on education:

Fitzgerald - Expresses the belief that more money alone will not produce a good school system and that a "stimulating, rewarding, harmonious and intellectually unfettered" atmosphere will attract the gifted and creative teacher. Says the education dollar should be used in exploring and experimenting with, under controlled conditions, new and advanced teaching techniques.

Moody - Favors the finest teaching staff, materials and equipment available, within the town's ability to pay.

She proposes non-cost attention to recognition of stimulating, creative and imaginative staff, citizen and private school assistance to the school staff on study projects, and greater emphasis on finding means to develop each student's potential.

Newman - Proposes spending for audio-visual equipment and techniques, including language labs and closed circuit TV for all schools; curriculum supervision by department heads instead of principals. Saving by building flexible schools designed around new concepts. And without cost, determine if the goals of education are being met.

### Consensus Units

Mrs. Alan French, chairman of a committee on local education for the League of Women Voters, has announced consensus units for Tuesday, Feb. 15 at 9:15 a.m., Cooley House (baby sitting available at Christ Church) and 7:45 p.m. - Cooley House.

### CHAIRMEN

Mr. and Mrs. William King, Harold Parker Rd., have been named chairmen of the annual Fun Fair to be held at South School in

the spring.

This was reported at the winter meeting of the South School PTA held Wednesday.

On the program was Patricia Hynes, national language arts consultant

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## Chamber Backs Board On Parking Controls

The Planning Board has received the official backing of the Andover Chamber of Commerce in its bid for Town Meeting approval of zoning by-law amendments that would set restrictions on mid-town parking.

The chamber has blocked previous moves in the direction of controls that would require owners of commercial property to provide stipulated amounts of parking for new or enlarged commercial facilities.

It even objected to by-law proposals for the 1966 Town Meeting prior to some moderating of the requirements to be sought. Many of the changes made to give the measure greater flexibility came after consultation with chamber officials.

Backing for the amendments as now outlined was forwarded to PB Chairman Harold T. King this week by Austin E. Anderson, president of the chamber.

Anderson's letter asked the planners to give some thought to further refinements of regulations applicable to the business district. It suggested specifically, the establishing of fire district regulations that would provide some control over the type of structure that could be built in designated areas. President An-

derson expressed his organization's willingness to work with the board in 1966 to study this or other possible refinements.

Approval of the parking amendment, said Anderson's letter, would create an atmosphere whereby today's business can:

1. Properly plan and prepare for tomorrow's inevitable demand for increased business services.
2. Subsequently expand in an orderly fashion beneficial to the town, its residents and shoppers, and its tax base.

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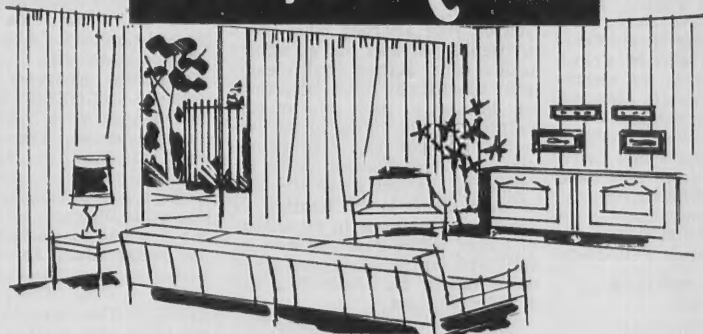
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Andover lost its chance for a Merrimack Valley Conference title Friday when the Warriors basketball team lost to Chelmsford 39-24, slipping to third place in the conference race.

Gov. John A. Volpe told the Interstate Commerce Commission this week that to permit the New Haven Railroad to merge its freight service into the proposed Penn Central combine without permitting the Boston & Maine to join the Norfolk & Western System would be to create a competitive situation that could drive the B&M into bankruptcy.

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### Free Cash Total High

As of Jan. 1 the Town of Andover had a total of \$1,032,239.32 in its free cash coffers, the largest such year-end sum in its history. The term "free cash" refers to surplus revenue less uncollected taxes for the preceding year, in this instance, 1965. The "surplus" total is approximately \$1.2 million.

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